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Airlift With Load Of Berlin Evacuees Crashes; Eight Dead

By RICHARD KASISCHKE
Berlin, Jan. 25 (P)—An RAF twin-engine transport plane loaded with children and sick evacuees from Berlin crashed last night near Schoenberg, in the Russian zone.

The Russian-controlled news agency said eight persons, including two children, had been killed in the crash. The agency said one of the dead was a British crew member. The number of injured was not reported by ADN.

Unofficial reports from Germans in the area said seven or eight persons were killed and 17 or 18 injured.

It was believed to be the worst crash in the history of the seven-month-old Berlin Airlift.

The 24 passengers were being flown from Berlin to Western Germany to escape the hardships of the Russian-blockaded city. A British crew of three was aboard.

British authorities, with only scant details from Russian and German rescue teams, awaited permission from the Russians in Weekeberg to investigate.

The crash occurred in a wooded area near Schoenberg which lies just inside the Russian-British zone border. It is about 10 miles east of the RAF Airlift base at Luebeck, which was the transport's destination.

Nevada Stock Fed By Flying Boxcars

Drifts Maroon 180,000 Starving Cattle

By ED OLSEN

Ely, Nev., Jan. 25 (P)—The U.S. Air Force stepped up the "hay lift" today for 180,000 snow-marrowed Nevada livestock—a move already hailed as "a plum good deal" by stockmen.

With pinpoint precision, the first of the huge flying boxcars dumped their cargoes of alfalfa hay to 10,000 sheep on three ranches in a 20-mile radius yesterday. The results were so successful that stockmen spokesman—"skeptical at first" said all efforts would be made to make direct drops from the air wherever possible.

Seventeen huge C-82 planes from McChord Field, Seattle, were available for the hay lift from Fallon, in western Nevada, to Ely, 260 miles to the east. Takeoffs were scheduled at daybreak from Fallon, all possible efforts were made to speed the loading of the planes to keep them all in full operation.

Stockmen have predicted that probably half of 45,000 cattle in a tri-county area, snowbound for two weeks, face starvation. The losses among 135,000 head of sheep are expected to run even higher if the feeding operation is not a speedy success.

"The hay lift so far is a 100 per cent success," George Swallow, United Stockmen's Association president, commented after yesterday's initial operations.

Rock Island Train Smashes New Auto Pushed On Tracks

Moline, Ill., Jan. 25 (P)—Lauren Benson, 39, stepped into his new automobile (two weeks old) for a little spin yesterday but he found his front wheels locked into fixed position.

Two passers-by offered suggestions and then their help. They pushed the car but the road was icy and they didn't make much progress. Then they decided to push the car across a nearby railroad track and onto a road not so icy.

But they never got the car across the railroad tracks. They almost made it. But a Rock Island freight train smashed into the rear end of the new machine. It was demolished.

Weather

Reported by U. S. Weather Bureau

UPPER MICHIGAN: Mostly cloudy tonight and Wednesday. Occasional snow flurries over the northwest and extreme west portions. Not much change in temperature.

ESCANABA AND VICINITY: Partly cloudy and slightly colder tonight, wind northeast 15 to 20 mph. Wednesday partly cloudy with little change in temperature, wind northeast to east 12 to 20 mph. High 22, low 6.

High 21 Low 10

Temperatures—Low Yesterday

Alpena 17 Kansas City 10 Battle Creek 31 Lansing ... 29 Bismarck ... 21 Los Angeles 42 Brownsville 65 Marquette ... 18 Buffalo ... 25 Memphis ... 44 Cadillac ... 20 Miami ... 72 Calumet ... 11 Milwaukee ... 23 Chicago ... 25 Minneapolis 0 Cincinnati ... 40 New Orleans 64 Cleveland ... 35 Phoenix ... 44 Dallas ... 21 Pittsburgh ... 42 Denver ... 9 St. Louis 22 Detroit ... 31 San Francisco 31 Duluth ... 11 S. Ste. Marie 2 Grand Rapids 30 Traverse City 21

Russia Hooks Up Five Nations In Assistance Pact

By The Associated Press

Russia and five other Eastern European nations set up today a "council of economic mutual assistance." It appeared to be a sort of Eastern European Marshall Plan structure.

It seemed largely a window dressing device since the countries are linked with extensive treaties. All are subservient to Moscow.

Michigan Election Changes Under Fire

Ballot Revisions Don't Work Right For GOP

Lansing, Jan. 25 (P)—Two innovations in Michigan election procedure came under fire in the legislature today.

One is the so-called "two-faced" primary ballot and the other is the separate ballot for presidential candidates.

Representatives of the state association of county clerks planned to appear before the House and Senate elections committees to discuss the laws.

The county officers, at their convention yesterday, expressed objection to the present primary ballot which has the Republican ticket on one side and the Democratic on the other.

In addition to reiterating previous objections that the double ballot leads to confusion and faulty votes, the clerks emphasized that the presence of the Progressive Party on the Spring primary ballot will make it difficult to print all three parties on one sheet and preserve the secrecy of the primary. The Progressive Party cast sufficient votes at the November election to gain a primary ballot position.

There appeared to be considerable sentiment to repeal the "two-faced" ballot in the Senate.

Republican leaders also have suggested repealing the separate presidential ballot law. They put into effect two years ago on the theory that it would insure election of state Republican ticket in the face of any national Democratic trend.

Last November Michigan went Republican nationally but elected Democratic Governor Williams.

The G.O.P. strategists have decided the idea isn't working the way they intended.

Sympathy Built Up For Axis Sally, On Trial As Traitor

Washington, Jan. 25 (P)—"Axis Sally" was described today as a traitor to her country, and as a loyal American.

Prosecution and defense attorneys outlined their cases in opening statements to a jury in U.S. district court.

The contrasting pictures they drew:

A radio propagandist who followed the Nazi line in a fashion aimed at hurting the U.S. war effort and at splitting the Allies.

An actress stranded in Germany and under pressure, who still rejected material that would hurt America and said no more on the following citizens were saying at home.

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Big Jackson Store Destroyed By Fire

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Rent Control Extension Indicated In Congress

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The rent measure, introduced yesterday by Rep. Spence (D-Ky.) and Senator Maybank (D-SC), chairman of the House and Senate Banking Committees, was slated for final approval well before March 31, when the present law died.

The proposed new law would bring under controls several types of housing not now covered, and would permit the Housing Expediter to slap controls back on areas decontrolled by the present law.

Dealers conceded there are now more used cars than buyers.

Republican Critics Hunt New Chairman To Kick Out Scott

By JACK BELL

Washington, Jan. 25 (P)—The progress of a move to kick out Hugh D. Scott, jr., as Republican National chairman appeared today to hinge on whether his critics can agree on a replacement.

Scott, of Pennsylvania, still claimed majority support within the 105-member national committee which meets at Omaha tomorrow. But the list of his critics seemed to grow almost hourly.

Carroll Reece of Tennessee, who once held Scott's job, pointed out on his arrival at Omaha that he had quit the House to give full time to the GOP chairmanship, and added:

"My actions speak for what I now think."

Harrison E. Spangler of Iowa, another delegate to the Omaha meeting, joined the anti-Scott forces with the comment that the chairman always will be identified as one of "those responsible for the tragic errors of the campaign" which the Republicans lost last fall.

Ouster Not Liked

While Scott himself told a news conference in advance of the conference that "sweetness and light" prevailed, National committee members were reported keeping long distance telephone lines busy conferring with members of Congress in a new flare-up of the ouster move which the Pennsylvanian appeared earlier to have liked.

Chief source of complaint has been that he named a 15-member executive committee which his foes said was heavily weighted with supporters of Gov. Thomas E. Dewey and then made himself its chairman.

This set the followers of Senator Robert A. Taft of Ohio and Harold E. Stassen on a search for a man they could agree upon.

Ralph F. Gates, former Indiana governor and that state's National committeeman, was mentioned as one possibility. But there is some opposition to Gates among leaders in his home state, and at Omaha, Gates himself insisted "I am not a candidate."

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Armistice Negotiations With Egyptians Drag

By ERIC GOTTCETTER

Tel Aviv, Israel, Jan. 25 (P)—Citizen of Israel voted today in the Jewish state's first elections.

It was a war-time election, with about 10,000 Arabs expected to participate. The returns were not expected to be announced before Friday because it will take that long to hear from all the outposts and truce lines where Israel's soldiers are voting. For security reasons it was unlikely the civilian vote would be announced separately.

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Armistice negotiations with the Egyptians at Rhodes dragged, however, and prevented a sure foundation of peace being laid.

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Honeymoon Is Over, Car Dealers Told

San Francisco, Jan. 25 (P)—American automobile dealers, 7,500 strong, met today at their first 1949 convention business session with this warning ringing in their ears: "The honeymoon is over."

It was delivered at a used car dealer by San Francisco (Ford) dealer Charles C. Welch.

Dealers conceded there are now more used cars than buyers.

Tom-Toms Stilled As Radio Comes To Belgian Congo

Leopoldville, Belgian Congo, Jan. 25 (P)—Tom-Tom beaters in the Belgian Congo are sadly packing away their instruments.

Their domain was invaded by the white man's Tom-Tom radio.

The Belgian Congo radio started this month, a new service to the natives in six of the local dialects. The service is staffed almost exclusively by the Negroes themselves, including announcers and technicians.

Actually the Ohioan claimed,

the measure would accomplish both steps at once.

Nanking Folds; Reds Set For Peace Talks

Democrats Line Up To Revive Law For Reciprocal Trade

Washington, Jan. 25 (P)—House Democrats lined up in force today behind a move to restore the reciprocal trade law as requested by President Truman.

The House ways and means committee, which opened hearings on the subject yesterday, received a letter from Mr. Truman calling for prompt repeal of the "hampering restrictions" pushed through Congress by the Republicans last year.

At least one GOP lawmaker said he will go along on a move to restore to the president the full power to cut tariffs on goods imported from those nations which agreed to do the same for U.S. imports.

The 1948 revisions which Mr. Truman wants repealed required him to explain to Congress if he lowered a tariff against the administration of the federal tariff commission.

Rep. Mills (D-A.), a committee member, told reporters Democrats appear virtually unanimous in supporting the president on the issue.

But while Rep. Kean of New Jersey, a GOP member, said he also expects to support the bill, most committee Republicans apparently were ready to do battle on the tariff issue which has been a traditional subject of dispute between the two parties.

Pianist For Hitler Abandons U.S. Tour

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WINTER SEASON IS HALF OVER

But This Has Not Been An Average Year

On the basis of heating engineers' records over the years, one half of the heating season for the 1948-49 winter has elapsed. City Manager A. V. Aronson reported this morning.

In theory, this would mean that home owners should be able to judge the amount of fuel that they will burn this winter by doubling the amount already consumed. Records show that 54 percent of the heating season is passed as of January 30, which would mean that just about half of the season has expired as of today.

The only gimmick to this theory, Aronson conceded, is that this is not a conventional winter season and the second half of the winter may be—and probably will be—considerably more severe than the first half has been.

Anyway, the records over the years speak for themselves and half of the winter has passed.

Eugene Herman, 69, Great Lakes News Publisher, Is Dead

Cleveland, (AP) — Eugene Herman, 69, editor and publisher of The Great Lakes News, and one of the best known marine men on the Great Lakes, died here Saturday.

He started his marine reporting on the Milwaukee waterfront and later did marine reporting in most of the principal cities on the lakes.

He spent his summers visiting ships at the Sault Ste. Marie locks and he probably knew more marine men than any other person on the lakes.

From his hospital bed shortly before his death, the wiry little man with the thatch of white hair edited the coming issue of the Great Lakes News for which he was the entire editorial and circulation staff.

Munising News

Women of Moose Lodge Initiate

Munising—A group of five new members were initiated into the Women of the Moose Lodge at a meeting Sunday afternoon in the KC hall. In the group were Justyna Frechette, Rose Melwick, Donna Doucette, Geraldine Miller and Joyce VanDorn.

A buffet lunch was served after the program.

Wallace Carrier Funeral Is Held

Munising—Funeral services were held Jan. 18 in Ypsilanti for Wallace C. Carrier, formerly of AuTrain, who died Jan. 15 in a Veterans hospital, Dearborn. He was 37. Burial was in St. John's cemetery, Ypsilanti.

Mr. Carrier was born in AuTrain Jan. 1, 1912. A graduate of Mather high school, he served more than four years in the Army Air Force during the war.

Surviving are his wife and two sons, Alan Wallace and Francis Alexander; two brothers, Nells and Francis, Ypsilanti; and four sisters, Mrs. Harold Haines and Mrs. Francis LaCombe, Ypsilanti, Mrs. Claude Vardon, Big Bay, and Mrs. E. W. Allie, Munising.

CARD PARTY
Munising—The Women of the Moose lodge will sponsor a card party at 8 p. m. Thursday in the KC hall and proceeds will be divided between Alger county's Infantile Paralysis and Red Cross funds.

Mrs. Herbert Frechette is in charge of arrangements. Prizes will be awarded in the games. Lunch will be served afterward.

The party will follow a brief business meeting of the lodge, which will start at 7 o'clock.

MUNISING BRIEFS

A bake sale will be held Saturday afternoon at the Flower Shop by the Eden Lutheran Ladies Aid.

Robert Whipple has returned to Lansing after visiting here with his sister-in-law, Miss Frieda LeVeque.

The daily movement of tides is lengthening a thousandth part of a second every century.

Out Our Way

By Williams



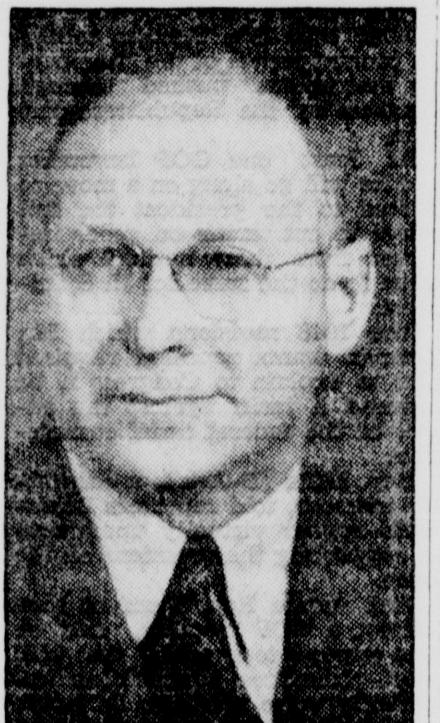
Briefly Told

General Love Land Expains Mission Of National Guard

Ice Show Tickets—A limited number of tickets for the Escanaba Ice Revue, to be presented Feb. 3-4-5-6, are still available for each performance, Ted Sura, ticket chairman, announced today. They can be obtained at Gust Asp, West End Drug store, Garrard Jewelers and Rose Park store. Mail tickets can be obtained by writing the ice revue committee at Post Office box 9, Escanaba.

Doctor Newberry?—Because of the unexpected absence of a cast member from Escanaba, Escanaba Civic Theatre needs someone to play the role of Doctor Newberry for their production of "Lady of Letters" on Feb. 28 and March 1. Tryouts for the part will be held Wednesday night at 7:30 in the Masonic Temple. An older man who can play the part of a typical college president is desired.

Elks Meet Wednesday—A regular meeting of Escanaba Lodge 354, B. P. O. Elks, will be held Wednesday night at 8:15. A motion picture, "Desert Victory," will be shown after the lodge session, and a buffet lunch will be served.



EDUCATION CHIEF

New chief of the conservation department's education division, Farley F. Tubbs was a game biologist with the department for 14 years before being named as conservation consultant with the state department of public instruction last fall. He is widely known as a lecturer on game topics.

Greyhound Bus Struck by Car

Marquette, Mich.—Jerry A. Westman, Box 7, Little Lake, was scheduled to appear before Municipal Judge Charles F. Swanson today on the drunken driving charge. State police arrested him after, they said, he drove out of a private driveway on US-41 one-tenth of a mile east of M-35 (between Neegaunee and Marquette) and struck the Northland Greyhound bus, which was going west on US-41, at 2:50 Sunday morning.

Driver of the bus was Millard E. Ring, of Escanaba. There were seven passengers in the vehicle, none of whom were injured. Westman's car was badly damaged, but the bus was driven away under its own power.

Westman, who suffered lacerations of his nose and left eye, was taken to St. Luke's hospital and then to the county jail by state police.

BIRD MIMICS PLANE

Sydney, Australia (AP)—The lyre-bird of Australia, one of the world's greatest mimics, moves with the times. On Brown Mountain in New South Wales recently a Sydney man thought he heard an airplane flying low overhead. He found the sound came from a lyre-bird on a dead log higher up on the mountain side.

(Advertisement)

SINUS SUFFERERS

Amazing new treatment, quick relief from sinus headaches, pressure in forehead, soreness in eyes, cheek bones, forehead, top of head, back of head and down neck; also continual drip and drainage of the nose and throat, coughing, sneezing and ear noises. Write for 5-day FREE TRIAL, no cost or obligation except to return if not satisfied. National Laboratories, 357 S. Ash St., Inglewood, Calif.

NOTICE

Cornell Township
Voters:

Last day for township candidates to file nominating petitions with township clerk is 4 P. M. Feb. 1, 1949, for the following offices: Supervisor, Clerk, Treasurer, Board of Review, Justices of the Peace, and 2 Constables.

Dorothy M. Woodard

Cornell Township Clerk

NOTICE

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Supervisor, Clerk, Treasurer, 2 Justices of Peace, Board of Review, Overseer of Highways and 2 Constables.

Hans Lorenson
Bay de Noc Township Clerk

PONZI SCHEME STILL WORKED

Speculating In Currency Good Business Now

By ROBERT C. RUARK

New York—The death of old Charlie Ponzi, one of the greatest short-time goldbrick artists of the century, blew me back into the clip-files the other day, just to check on the Boston Italian's crime. It was a crime that sent him to jail for three years, and exiled him later to South America, where he died.

Old Charlie was a green goods peddler of the Jeff Peters stamp, but with certain extra inspiration. He collected 40,000 chumps, broke five banks, and kicked 15 million gold-backed dollars around Boston sidestreets. His gimmick was a 50 per cent return on invested money within 60 days.

Still Being Done

Nobody ever reached a unanimous agreement on whether Charlie was a full-time crook or just a genius in a hurry, even though he went to jail. A great many of his suckers got their money back. His investment technique was sound, and is still in heavy vogue today. The technique was a simple exploitation of depressed currencies. Using the stout American dollar as a peg, he bought cheap monies abroad, and resold them at a profit in areas where government regulation stamped exchange so firmly he could make up to 300 per cent profit.

That is being done by 1949's money speculators daily, as they play ducks and drakes with the dollar abroad—buying their francs and pounds and pesos in the free-currency zones, and swapping them back at vast profits in the controlled areas. It is done by smuggler, courier, bank draft, friendship, and export-import, where the commodity is bought cheap and sold high. It is good business.

Made One Big Mistake

That's what Ponzi was doing, back in 1919, and he only made one big mistake. He suckered his first funds on a pure swindle basis, and paid off the early gulls with the income from the later

chumps. The theory is that you can pay off the contributions of the early subscribers with the donations of the late-in-liners—and that somewhere, out of interim profit, you can catch up sufficient slack to balance your books. But Charlie never caught up the slack.

If Mr. Ponzi's enthusiasm hadn't dashed off with him, he'd probably have been operating out of Wall Street until today. But a minor error he committed was a trespass on banking rights. Charlie's proposition looked so foolproof, with the big bills overflowing the tills, and stuffed carelessly in wastebaskets, that the maddened investors staged runs on banks. Some of the cribs, also overenthusiastic in their investments, couldn't get the dough up. They flopped. It set up a righteous enmity toward the upstart Ponzi.

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36,500 MINK PELTS SOLD

Buyers Bid Briskly At Milwaukee Sale

Milwaukee—Sixty buyers from many states and Canada bid briskly for the 36,500 mink pelts offered as the three-day January sale of the American National Co-operative Fur Auction came to a close.

Approximately 11,500 mink were offered and 81 per cent of them were sold. The top price of \$37.50 was paid for pastels. Breath-of-spring platinums brought a top of \$35 and the high for platinums was \$23.

Ninety-four per cent of the 23,500 standard dark ranch mink offered were sold. The top price was \$19.25.

A collection of 1,500 wild mink was 87 per cent sold and the top was \$28.50.

A total of 5,000 silver fox, including platinum and other color phases, was 88 per cent sold. One of the highlights of this sale was the spirited bidding encountered, when the three-quarter silvers were reached in the catalog. The collection was small, but was 100 per cent sold. Several of the accounts were bought for direct shipment to Europe. Platinums were 86 per cent sold, with a top of \$31. Full silvers brought a high of \$19 and were 85 per cent sold. White face silvers sold 80 per cent and white mark silvers 87.

Need Permits For Venison After 29th

Conservation officials are reminding those persons who still have venison from last fall's deer hunting left in their freezers or lockers that the 60 day period during which such meat may be kept without permit ends on January 29. To keep the meat beyond that permits are needed.

The permits are issued without cost on application at conservation department headquarters or may be obtained by application to conservation officers.

Obituary

SELM LANCOUR

Services for Selm Lancour, pioneer Oisier resident, were held at 9 this morning at St. Charles church in Rapid River with Rev A. Schulek of Tremay offering the funeral mass. Burial was in Rapid River cemetery. Pallbearers were Archie, Woodrow and Harvey Potvin, Williams and Dale Lancour and Donald Laundre.

Stork Loses Close Grand Rapids Race

Grand Rapids, (P)—Twice a winner here in the past three weeks, the stork finally lost a close-race decision Monday.

With assists from an ambulance crew, a wrecking truck, the Kent County Road Commission and a helpful neighbor, Mrs. Wilma Ringler gave birth to a son two minutes after reaching St. Mary's hospital.

Icy roads north of town halted the ambulance coming for Mrs. Ringler. While the crew waited for a wrecker, a neighbor whose car was equipped with chains, started to bring the expectant mother to the city.

But before they reached the ambulance, the car ran out of gas.

With the wrecker's help the ambulance crew finally reached the stalled auto. Meanwhile, road commission crews had had time to sand highways for a fast return trip.

Two minutes after reaching the hospital Mrs. Ringler's son, her third child, was born.

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Cornell Lions Raise \$204 For Polio Fund

The Cornell Lions Club today turned over to the Delta county infantile paralysis fund a total of \$204, proceeds from a fund benefit party held Saturday night in Cornell town hall, it was reported by J. L. Heirman, county polio fund campaign chairman.

Oral Thompson of Cornell, Lions Club president, expressed the club's appreciation to those who aided in making the public party a success, including the assistance of Escanaba business men.

At the party Heirman described the work being done in special rooms in Escanaba Junior high school for the crippled and afflicted children of Delta county. This work is financed in part by contributions to the annual March of Dimes. A group of Cornell potato growers last fall visited the special rooms following a luncheon meeting at which they were guests of the Escanaba Rotary club.

Heirman said today that a progress report on the March of Dimes drive in the county will be made soon. The drive is expected to close Jan. 31.

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had been born in autos enroute to local hospitals.

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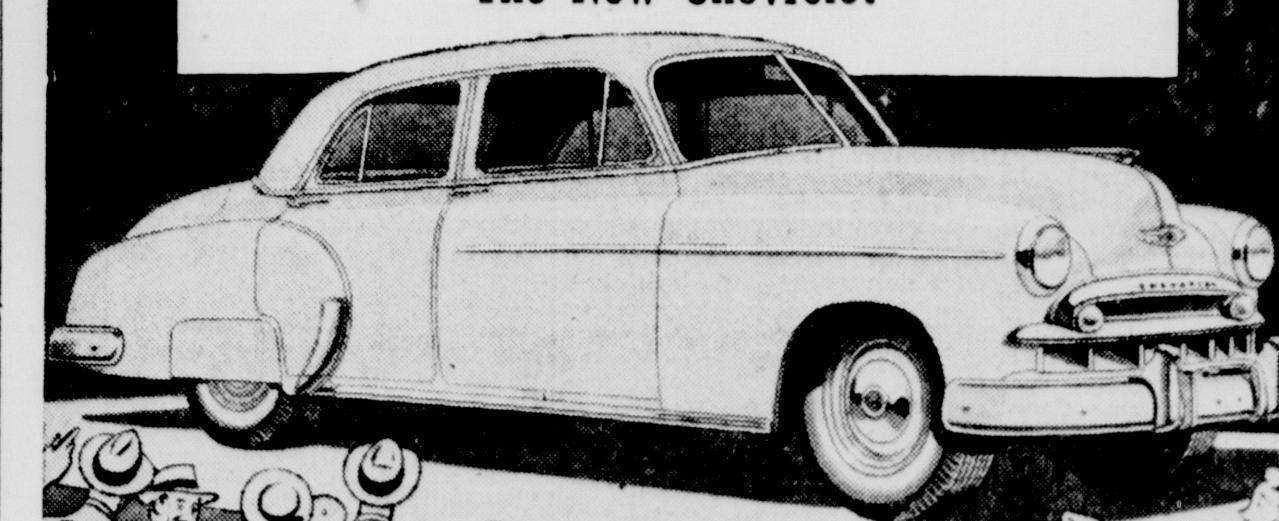
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Class Will Attend Rites—Members of the Escanaba high school graduating class of 1944 are requested to attend the reburial services for Pfc. Richard Davidson Wednesday afternoon at 2 at the Anderson funeral home, and also to call at the funeral home to pay their respects to the memory of the young soldier.

Rifle Club — The Escanaba Rifle and Pistol club will hold a practice session at 7:30 this evening at the indoor range in the State Fair exhibition building. Ammunition and targets will be available at the range.

Benefit Dance—A dance for the benefit of the March of Dimes will take place Saturday night at the Eagles Hall under the sponsorship of the Eagles and Eagles Auxiliary. There will be no admission charge, but voluntary donations will be given to the March of Dimes.

Motorist Guilty Of Drunk Driving

Fred Nelson, 330 North 10th street, was found guilty of drunk driving Monday at a hearing conducted by Justice Henry Ranquette. He was fined \$50 and costs and his license was revoked. The judge suspended \$25 of the fine.

A hearing also was conducted in the case of Donald Mousseau, 430 South 18th street, charged with reckless driving. Judge Ranquette took the case under advisement until this afternoon.

Lions to Assist Speed Skaters Here

The Escanaba Lions club has voted to provide assistance to the Bay de Noc Speed Skating club, it has been announced. Hazen Hengesh has been appointed chairman of a committee to work with the speed skaters.

The speed skating club has had tough going the past several years and the Lions have decided to come to the aid of the speedsters.

The club will send a team of skaters to Marinette next weekend.

The San Francisco cable car system, which once covered 112 miles of track, now has only 17 miles left.

The draft process has been suspended for two months but local boards were required to fill their draft calls for January.

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NOTICE Maple Ridge Township Voters

Last day for township candidates to file nominating petitions with township clerk, 4 P. M. February 1st, 1949, for following offices:

Supervisor, Clerk, Treasurer, 2 Justices of Peace, Board of Review, Overseer of Highways and 2 Constables.

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Lone Ptarmigan Is Released In Iron River Area

Two of the birds were dead on arrival and the third died while Richards was driving to Bush Creek to release the pair remaining. The hardy one appeared hearty and healthy enough in spite of the long journey and he (she) walked on the crest of the snow with the aid of its webbed and feathered feet.

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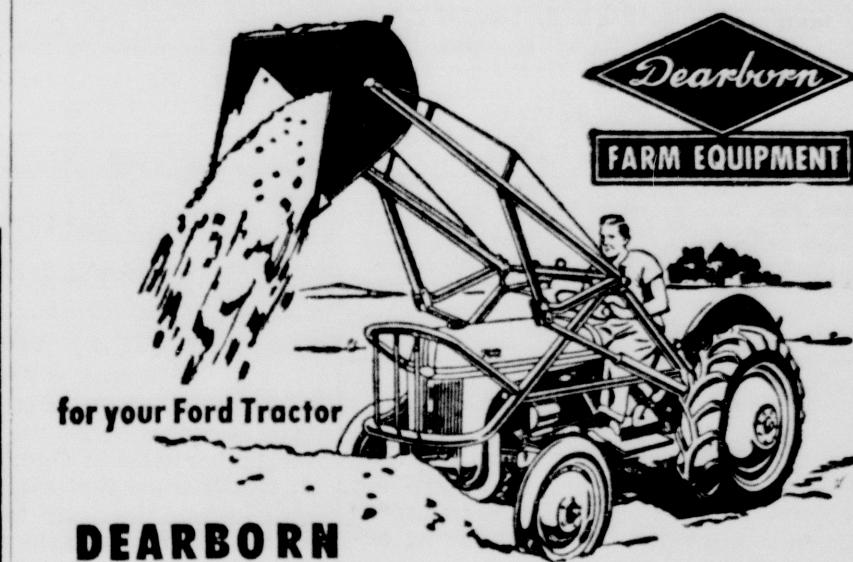
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General Reveals Normandy Invasion Plan Was Captured

Heidelberg, Germany (P)—The entire Normandy invasion plan was captured by the Germans the day of the assault, but they failed to capitalize on it, Lieut. Gen. Clarence R. Huebner said Monday.

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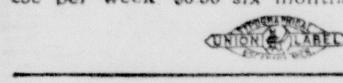
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City To Launch Reforestation Program

THE PLAN of the city forestry department to plant several thousand seedlings on city-owned land next spring deserves a round of applause.

An allotment of 5,000 trees has already been promised by the state conservation department and an addition allotment of 5,000 to 10,000 trees may be available from the U. S. Forest Service. If all goes well, the city may plant 13 acres in the spring. That is only a drop in the bucket, so to speak, but it is start in the right direction. The city owns many acres of land that is now idle and that will be idle for years to come unless it is put to use for the production of trees.

The city proposes to utilize new tree planting equipment for its reforestation project, which not only will materially reduce the cost but also serve as an example to other land owners. The invention of mechanical tree planters has opened up tremendous new possibilities for reforestation of denuded lands of the Upper Peninsula.

Loyalty Cards For Special Privilege

POLICE COMMISSIONER Harry S. Toy of Detroit has created a minor tempest as a result of a decision to require newspaper reporters to sign non-Communist affidavits before they will be issued a 1949 press card.

The major newspapers of Detroit have no objection to Commissioner Toy's order. The labor press is more critical, however, claiming infringement of a free press.

Toy has explained that the order was issued to tighten the city's civil defense against possible sabotage by enemies of the country. He said that press cards give newspapermen access to information and areas vital to the city's security.

The loyalty oath can hardly be regarded as an unjustified requirement for special newspaper privileges in a city like Detroit, where Communists are known to be unusually active. No loyal American should have any hesitancy about signing such an oath. It is now required of labor leaders who seek to utilize the services of the National Labor Relations board and may eventually be extended to include management officials.

It has been argued by Toy's opponents that the affidavit requirement is the first step in the setting up of a Gestapo for a police state. This charge, we believe, is a ridiculous one. The non-Communist requirement is simply a qualification for obtaining a special privilege. It is in no sense a provision for licensing of newspapermen which would be a violation of the constitution and an infringement of a free press.

Old Man River

LIKE OLD MAN RIVER, Pete Dube just keeps rolling along.

Dube reached the venerable age of 70 last week, an age when most men are content to cuddle up to the fire and enjoy a good book—that is, if their eyesight is still holding out. But not Dube. Old Pete still skates five to seven miles a day, every day, at a pace that leaves most of the young fellows far behind.

A trainer of world champions—Charlie Jewtraw was one of his protégés—and a champion in his own right, Dube has never lost his love for the thrill of competition on a sheet of ice. His challenge to meet the old timers in any distance up to five miles has been issued annually for a number of years. This year local admirers of Dube are combing the country for some competition, even offering to pay expenses to anyone who thinks he can challenge Dube's claim to the world's championship skating title for men over 60. Note particularly that Dube is not merely offering to meet any one of his own age, but is conceding ten years to his challenger.

Dube is serious in his challenge. In past years, Dube kept in tip top skating condition every season just in case someone might pop up and accept the challenge.

We hope Dube finds some challengers and if he does, we'll bet the mortgage on the family washer that Old Pete proves his claim to the championship is valid.

Want Titus To Stay

HAROLD TITUS, Traverse City author and cherry grower, who has served as a member of the state conservation commission since its creation in 1927 except for a two-year intermission, recently announced he was not candidate for reappointment. Since then, conservationists throughout Michigan have been endeavoring to induce him to change his mind and have been urging Governor Williams to ask him to remain on the job.

Titus is one of three members of the commission whose terms are expiring. The other two are Harold Richards, Upper Peninsula mining executive, and William Butler, Holland newspaper publisher. They received their appointments from Republican governors, but Titus also has served under

Democratic regimes.

The Traverse City man has been an influential figure in the conservation field for many years. As a member of the commission, he has been a staunch advocate of Michigan's building up an effective forest fire control program. As the author of many articles appearing in national magazines, Titus also has spread the gospel of conservation far and wide, and has given Michigan's hunting, fishing and other recreational attractions much valuable publicity.

The broad experience gained by Titus has been a great asset to the conservation commission. With most members new and inexperienced, the sensible thing would be to retain Titus if he can be prevailed upon to accept reappointment. Governor Williams should forget partisan politics and join the many sincere conservationists who feel that the conservation commission needs a man like Titus.

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CITE VENereal DISEASE TOLL

2,1548 New Cases, 502 Deaths Reported

A Michigan city entirely populated by persons infected with syphilis and gonorrhea? This would be true if all 2,1548 of Michigan's reported new cases of syphilis and gonorrhea for 1948 were placed in one location, according to Commissioner of Health Albert E. Heustis.

The population of this hypothetical VD City would be nearly equal to that of Benton Harbor, Mt. Clemens, or Muskegon Heights, according to 1947 census estimates. VD City would be larger than Sault Ste. Marie, Escanaba, Traverse City, or Adrian.

To follow the comparison further, Dr. Heustis explained that the 21,500 inhabitants of VD City could be sources of infection to an additional 64,500 persons—more than the urban populations of Jackson or Bay City. Estimating the total number of persons with VD in Michigan, reported and unreported and on the basis of the 1940 Selective Service rate, would indicate that it is possible for 131,697 persons to be infected—more than the 1947 estimated populations of all Michigan cities excepting Detroit and Grand Rapids.

502 Syphilis Deaths
Dr. Heustis made today's statement to emphasize the need for intensified and continuing community programs to eliminate venereal disease in Michigan. "The good work done by local health departments and by private physicians during the past year has resulted in a reduction of 4,717 or more than seventeen per cent in number of reported new cases of syphilis and gonorrhea for 1948 as compared to 1947," he pointed out. "But VD, of all the serious communicable diseases, still offers the outstanding challenge to community action. In Michigan, with the exception of measles, syphilis and gonorrhea are the leading serious communicable diseases."

To illustrate the effectiveness of vigorous and continuing programs against a serious communicable disease, Dr. Heustis cited the fact that, in 1947, only 29 persons died of infantile paralysis in Michigan, as compared to 502 reported deaths from syphilis. "If communities applied the same sense of urgency to programs against syphilis and gonorrhea that they do in meeting the threat of polio, we could prevent the killing, crippling and blinding effects of late untreated syphilis and gonorrhea and, within a few years, eliminate VD as a major public health problem in this State," Dr. Heustis said.

58 Cases In Delta

According to the annual report of the Delta-Menominee health district there were 58 cases of syphilis and 13 gonorrhea in Delta county during the year 1947. Reporting of gonorrhea, incidentally, was described as "poor" and there were many more cases than the number on record.

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Ensign

P-T-A Meeting

Ensign, Mich.—A large crowd of parents and friends attended the Ensign P. T. A. meeting held at the Stone Anderson school Thursday evening, Jan. 20. Mrs. Edith Johnston presided, with Mrs. Andrew Olson as secretary. After a short business session during which there was discussion about the purchasing of a hot water heater for the school hot lunch project, and a used sewing machine for 4-H Club use, a program of movies was enjoyed. Supt. R. P. Bowers of Rapid River showed three reels of very interesting pictures, two on "America the Beautiful" and one on the "Quiz Kids." Lunch was served at the close of the meeting.

Home Ec Meeting

At the last Home Economics Extension meeting, held at the Ensign school Tuesday evening, Jan. 18, "Descent and Distribution of Property and Wills" was the lesson given by Mrs. Earl Kaiser and Mrs. Andrew Olson, leaders. After the business session, a delicious lunch was served. Mrs. Olson and Mrs. Dave Constantino will be leaders for the next lesson on "Renovating Old Hats."

Entertained

Mrs. Hilma Holm was hostess to a group of friends at her home Wednesday evening, Jan. 19. The evening was spent pleasantly, visiting, after which a very nice lunch was served. Those attending the gathering were Mr. and Mrs. Herman Weberg, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lundquist, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kaiser, Mr. and Mrs. Hilmer Rudenberg, Andrew Olson, Bert Johnston and Einar Hansen.

Personals

The Birthday Club members met at the home of Mrs. Emily Olson Thursday afternoon, in honor of her birthday. Mrs. Robert Harris and daughter Linda of Kipling have been visiting this week at the Richard Lundquist home.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Olson entertained a group of neighbors with a card party at their home Saturday evening.

NOTICE To The Voters of Fairbanks Township

Notice is hereby given that all candidates for Township offices must file their petitions in my office on or before 4:00 p. m. E.S.T. February 1st, 1949. Petition forms may be obtained at my office.

Leslie T. Birk
Clerk.

Witch Hunt Urge Gone At Lansing

Lansing, (P)—They called it the "Grand Jury complex," the "crusading spirit," or "witch hunting."

Whatever you call it, the desire to "investigate" is gone from the capital.

Investigations, either by executive agencies, the legislature or grand juries, long have been popular political fare, but nowhere did they reach the peak of the Sigler administration. That was natural because former governor Kim Sigler was elected on his record as a grand jury prosecutor and he had at his elbow—either helping or juggling—a crusading attorney general, Eugene F. Black.

**Twin-Engined DC-3
To Be Modernized**

Santa Monica, Calif., (P)—The DC-3—for more than a decade the world's most used twin-engine transport—will be modernized into the "super DC-3."

Increased speed and passenger capacity will result from modifications planned for the some 6,000 of the aircraft now in cargo or passenger service with airlines and armed forces.

The revamped planes will cruise at 234 miles an hour, instead of the present 189, and seat 28 instead of the present 21 passengers, plane maker Donald W. Douglas announced.

Changes will include higher-powered engines, square-tipped wings and enclosed landing gear and tail wheels. Also claimed are lower operating costs, improved stability, control, takeoff and climb characteristics.

Assistance to communities planning Social Hygiene Month observances, or permanent programs to stamp out VD, is available through the Bureau of Venereal Disease Control of the Michigan Department of Health. Professionally qualified speakers may be furnished through an arrangement made by Dr. Loren Shaffer, chairman of the venereal disease control committee of the Michigan State Medical Society or through the Michigan Department of Health. Members of the staff of the Bureau of Venereal Disease Control, including a specialist in the techniques of VD education, are available to furnish technical advice and assistance.

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ence that most grand juries began operations with only a vague idea of what they were after, that their path was not clearly marked, that they wandered far afield and that they tended to run on forever.

Any grand puries in which the state plays a part in the next two years will be held strictly to a definite goal, will be pressed vigorously toward that goal and will be closed when the goal is reached, Roth indicated.

And he told reporters that he was not getting into any unless he was sure there was something serious to be found and that normal law enforcement machinery could not do the job as well.

Roth criticized what he said was a current Michigan tendency to use grand juries to do the work of the ordinary machinery of government. That, he implied, is a reckless use of a valuable weapon and might result in its eventual rejection by the people.

Williams has had several beautiful opportunities to grab for the headlines with new investiga-

tions, but he has quietly passed them by.

The new governor's reasonable approach to department troubles is therefore likely to engender a confidence and hope among career men in the capitol that they can unbosom their troubled hearts without risking a removal proceeding.

No one expects Williams to

agree with everything that is being done and has been done in state government. He has shown definite disagreements with some policies already and he obviously is suspicious of Republican traps, but he has lightened a lot of hearts by not sending department heads notice through the newspapers that he is after their scalps.

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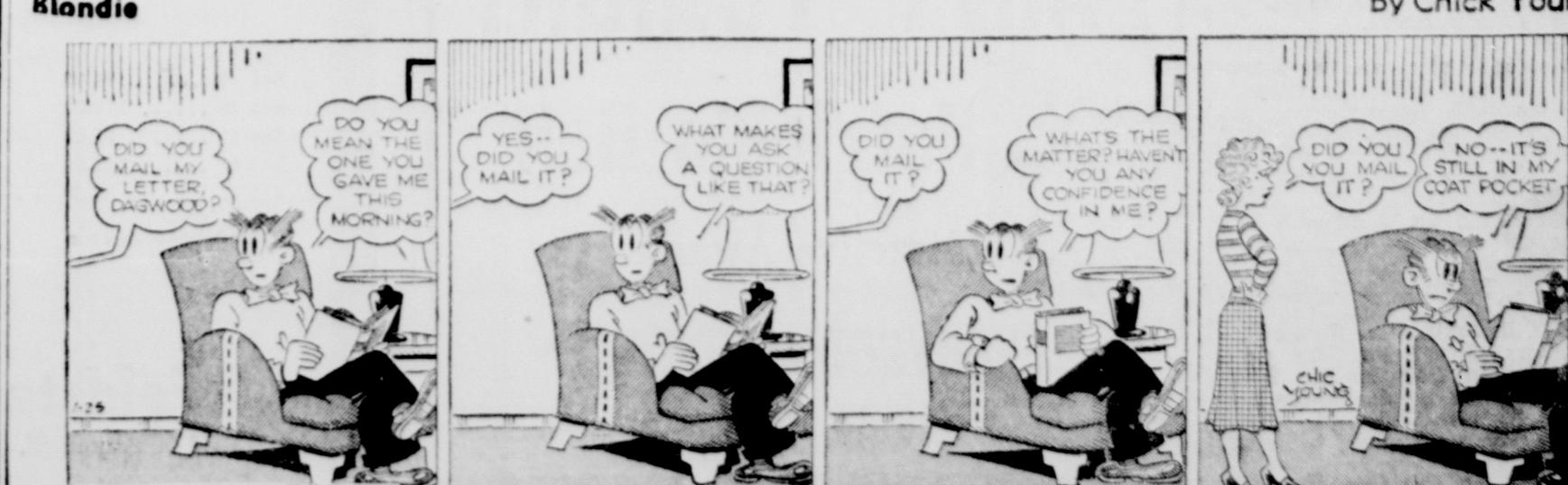
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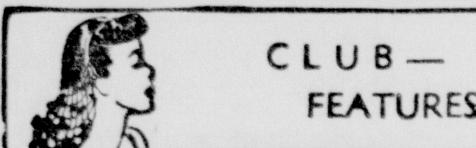


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WOMAN'S PAGE

FASHIONS — ACTIVITIES

Family Night At Rapid River Church

Calvary Lutheran church of Rapid River is holding a church family night meeting at the church Wednesday evening, January 26, at 7:30. The theme of the meeting is "World Mission of the Church." A special sound motion picture on African missions will tell the story of the Augustana Lutheran church mission in Africa which was started by Rev. Ralph Hult, pastor of Calvary church in 1939. Children of the church will present several numbers and Rev. Philip Engdahl, pastor, will speak on "Going into all the World." Pot luck lunch will be served. The offering will be sent to the Augustana mission advance offering which is being taken in all Augustana Lutheran church in Michigan.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Fredrickson of Sturgeon Bay, Wis., are the parents of a daughter, who weighed five pounds and seven ounces, born Sunday, January 23. The Fredricksons have another daughter, Nancy, who is five years old. Mr. Fredrickson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Fredrickson, 312 South 13th street.

Elba L. Morse Guest Speaker

Miss Elba L. Morse, R. N. director of the Bay Cliff health center, Marquette, will be guest speaker at the regular meeting of the Delta County Nurses' Association Thursday evening at 7:30 at St. Francis hospital. The meeting is open to all nurses of the district.

Nahma

Birthday Party
Nahma, Mich.—Dick LeBrasleur and Marshall Beauchamp were the guests at a surprise birthday party at the former's home in Isabella on Saturday evening. Those at the party were Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Benette, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lavigne, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Beauchamp, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Labadie and Mr. and Mrs. Dick LeBrasleur. Each of the honored guests were remembered with a gift. Lunch was served.

Birth
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gouin announce the arrival of a daughter, Yvonne Elizabeth, born at the Shaw hospital in Manitowoc on Jan. 22. The baby weighed six pounds seven ounces when it was born.

Personals
Mrs. Marie Maxwell of Gladstone spent the weekend at the Hector Gagnon home at St. Jacques.

Mrs. C. F. Shafer and Fred Olmsted visited with Harry DeRoser at Pinecrest in Powers on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Miller spent the weekend in Escanaba visiting with Mrs. Lillian Sullivan and in Gladstone at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Glenn Kjellberg.

Sunday guests at the Ivan Schafer home were: Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Oathout and Mrs. Reed Oathout and family of Gladstone, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Truskett and son of Burbank, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller of New Jersey and Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Gereau and family of Kipling.

Herbie Blowers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herb Blowers submitted to surgery at the St. Francis Hospital in Escanaba on Saturday.

Mrs. John Schwartz Jr. and her father Henry Peterson left Sunday morning for Bay City where they will spend the week with the Chester Lemirande family.

Miss Jean Thiftault, who is employed in Milwaukee, spent the weekend at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Cal Cunningham and family of Gladstone were Sunday guests at the Andrew Krutina home.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Adams and family of Shingleton, Mrs. Stanton Abrahamson and daughter Lynn and Mr. and Mrs. Dean Konell of Escanaba were Sunday guests at the Nick Denessen home on the Isabella road.

Gould City

Home Extension Group
Gould City, Mich.—A meeting of the Gould City Home Extension Group was held at the high school Monday evening, Jan. 17.

The lesson was "Meals Made Easy" which was given in detail by leaders Mrs. Angus McDonald and Mrs. Loren McLean. A demonstration of barbecue liver and rice was cooked and served. Pamphlets of recipes were distributed to the members.

Roll call and minutes of the last meeting were read by secretary-treasurer Phyllis Leveille.

After the business meeting pot luck lunch was served to twenty members. Those present were Mrs. Glenn Brawley, Mrs. Vern Brown, Mrs. Jack Brawley, Mrs. Andrew Christie, Mrs. Loren McLean, Mrs. George Judson, Mrs. E. McCallum, Mrs. Angus McDonald, Mrs. Amos McCallum, Mrs. Bill O'Neill, Mrs. Joe Vogl, Mrs. Bill Watts, Mrs. Wayne Engel, Mrs. Orin Baker, Mrs. Cora Stalker, Mrs. Ray Gardner, Betty Hart, Marvel Baker, Phyllis Leveille, Maxine Allen.

The next meeting will be Feb. 7.



Personal News

Rev. James Kelly, pastor of Immaculate Conception church in Florence, Wis., and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dulek have returned to Florence, following a weekend visit with Mr. and Mrs. Emil Dulek, 201 North 19th street.

Mrs. J. R. Carlson of Fresno, Calif., who spent the past several weeks here with her sister, Mrs. John Sullivan, and other relatives left today to return to her home. Mrs. Sullivan is accompanying her sister to Chicago where they will visit for a few days with relatives.

Miss Josephine Vandenberg, R. N. left today for Hines, Ill., where she is a member of the staff of the veterans hospital, following a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Vandenberg, 1307 First avenue south.

Pfc. Robert Dumas is spending a 10-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dumas of Bark River. He plans to leave Monday to report for duty at Lowry Field in Denver, Colo. Previously he was stationed at Sheppard Field, Texas.

Salem Ladies' Aid
The Ladies' Aid of Salem Evangelical church will meet at 2:30 Wednesday in the church parlors. Hostesses are Mmes. Henry Ottensman, Clyde Moersch, Joseph Pinozek and Fred Rudinger.

Missionary Circle

The Missionary Circle of Central Methodist WSCS will meet in the parsonage Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. John Gauvin and Mrs. Karl J. Hammar, hostesses.

Calvary Baptist Aid

Calvary Baptist Aid will meet at 2:30 Wednesday in the church parlors. Rev. Merritt J. Kline is speaker of the afternoon. Mrs. Verner Sjodin is program chairman and hostesses are Mrs. Arthur Kallstrom, Mrs. Kline and Mrs. George Ringstrand.

Fellowship Meeting

The Youth Fellowship of the First Methodist church will meet Wednesday at 7:30.

Immanuel Service

Bible study and a prayer service will be held at Immanuel Lutheran church Wednesday evening at 7:30.

Covenant Meeting

A service of Bible study and prayer will be held at Ev. Covenant church at 7:45 Wednesday.

Bark River League

Salem Luther League of Bark River will meet Thursday evening at 8 at the Harold McNaughton home. All young people are invited.

Cornell Service

Preaching services will be held at the Cornell Methodist church at 8 Wednesday evening.

Open Invitation
Extended Singers
By Junior Choir

The Junior High choir of the First Presbyterian church of this city is extending an open invitation to all singers not affiliated with other church choirs.

The choir is now making plans for a spring concert and all persons interested in singing with the choir are invited to join.

Last weekend the choir was entertained at the home of Mrs. Nyall Witham. Nancy Duchaine scored high in ping-pong and Kathleen Kasischke in Jack Be Nimble games.

Mission Festival
At Stonington

A mission festival will be held at the Bethel Lutheran church, Stonington on Thursday, January 27, at 8:00 p.m. The cause of home and foreign mission will be presented and a film telling the start of African mission will be shown. Rev. Philip Engdahl will speak on "Missions" at the service. The Ladies' Aid will serve lunch after the meeting.

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Social - Club

Convention Meeting
Mrs. Harlow Woods of Munising, general state chairman of the 32nd annual convention of the Michigan Congress of Parents and Teachers to be held here in April, and Mrs. Byron Braamse, Escanaba, general state vice chairman, will outline convention plans to date at a meeting of all local executive officers, committee chairmen and co-workers Wednesday evening at 7:45 in the junior high school lounge. The discussion is open to all interested persons.

Bake Sale Saturday
The American Legion Auxiliary will sponsor a bake sale Saturday, January 29, at the Legion club rooms.

Rapid River Royal Neighbors
The Royal Neighbors society will meet this evening at the home of Mrs. Jennie Duranteau in Masonville for a pot luck dinner at 7 o'clock. Installation of officers will follow the meeting.

Birthday Party

Lloyd St. Ours was honored at a birthday party arranged as a surprise by eighteen of his friends and held at his home. Five hundred was played and lunch was served. Mrs. Emil Vellers and Charles Arnold and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stern were high and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Gauthier, low. Milton Jacobson received the guest award. Mr. St. Ours was presented with many gifts.

Sleighride Party
The Methodist Youth Fellowship of Central Methodist church will hold a sleighride party Wednesday evening. Members at the church at 7:30.

Cornell Rummage Sale
The Ladies' Aid of the Cornell Methodist church will hold a rummage sale in the basement of the Clifford South store Thursday, Jan. 27, beginning at 9 a.m. Gifts for the sale should be delivered to the store not later than Wednesday. Mrs. Alfred Dahl and Mrs. Clifford South are members of the committee in charge.

Covenant Auxiliary
The Covenant Women's Auxiliary will meet at 2:30 tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. Cal Mylander, 2410 Ludington street. Anyone desiring a ride is requested to telephone Mrs. John Anderson, number 1060.

John Danielson Wins First Prize In Essay Contest

John D. Danielson of Escanaba won the first prize of \$50 and William A. Carlson of Rock received second prize, \$30, in the recent essay contest sponsored by Samuel W. Wheeler Camp 30, Spanish American War Veterans for students at Northern Michigan College of Education, Marquette.

Third place and \$20 went to Richard A. Hill of Wakefield.

Essays were judged on the qualities of organization, content, thought and composition, style and historical content. Members of the college faculty served as judges.

John is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Danielson, 202 South 3rd street.

Social Situations

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Indian Lake State Park had its first picnic of the year Sunday morning, when five planes from Norway, Mich., landed on Indian Lake and went ashore to the park for a ham and egg breakfast.

Heavy snow on the lake made landing and takeoff hazardous for the wheeled plane and the plane owned and operated by Larry Randall, Norway publisher, was damaged in the takeoff, the propeller being put out of commission.

In the party were Mr. Randall, Henry Ebling, Walter Bordlaure, Paul Zietz, Lyle Zietz, Ernest Blaire, William Warner and Louis Tomosini.

This was the first function of this sort ever held at the park.

**Former Resident
Of Manistique****Dies In Detroit**

Mrs. Carl Ekstrom, sr., a former resident of Manistique died following a heart attack at her home in Detroit Sunday morning.

Mrs. Ekstrom, who came to Manistique as a school teacher, was married here to Mr. Ekstrom in 1905. They resided in Manistique until about 21 years ago when they moved to Detroit which has been their home ever since. She was about 75 years of age at the time of her death.

Her husband, Carl, and a son, Carl Ekstrom, jr., of San Francisco, Calif., survive her.

Funeral services and burial will be in Darlington, Wis., her old home.

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Saturday Evening****THOMPSON MEN
ON PROBATION****Fragale And Kaiser Faced
Judge Runnels Monday**

The fact that this was their first brush with the law and that their reputations heretofore had been good, served as mitigating circumstances when Lloyd Fragale and Albert Kaiser, both of Thompson, were brought before Judge Herbert Runnels at Munising Monday morning. The two men had pleaded guilty to defrauding the county on bounty payments for foxes and for the past week have been anxiously awaiting in the county jail to hear what the judge had to say.

Judge Runnels after acquainting the two men with the seriousness of their offense, ordered them to make restitution and for the next two years make a monthly report to the authorities. Any law violation in the meantime would be sufficient to have the case against them renewed and the penalty invoked.

Alton Markham, who also awaited sentence in the county jail was ordered to continue to make restitution to the people he had imposed on. He was ordered to make good on the rubber checks he had issued.

**Cancer Survey
Shows Effective
Work Being Done**

The belief held by men of the medical profession that the ravages of cancer will, in time be greatly reduced, if not entirely conquered is gradually being shared by the public in general, says Dr. George Shaw in commenting on the drive of the American Cancer Society to be staged next April.

"Men and women are not afraid to discuss cancer freely and fully," says Dr. Shaw, medical director of the Schoolcraft cancer society and a member of the Upper Peninsula cancer board.

Child social welfare work has gone a long distance since the work began, Mr. Mulchay said. In those early days, a child who became a ward of the state, was cared for in the institution until his fourteenth birthday, and then apprenticed or farmed out, subject to the will of the party who had him in charge until his twenty-first birthday.

The rights of every child is scrupulously safeguarded today, he said. Licensing of children's homes is strictly enforced and the home or institutional status of every illegitimate child is carefully recorded.

"Our problem now is to satisfy the increasing public demand for information about cancer," Dr. Shaw said. "The men and women want to know the facts. With continued public support of our April campaigns, we will see that they get the facts."

City Briefs

Mrs. Louis Rogers is a surgical patient at the Shaw hospital where she underwent an appendectomy on January 18.

Sgt. and Mrs. James A. McCormick of Salina, Kan., are the parents of a son, James Michael, born on January 20. Sgt. McCormick is a former Manistique army recruiter.

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Pay Fines—Leonard Lund and Howard Potvin paid fines of \$5 and costs each on charges of violating a conservation law relating to ice fishing.

Mission Group—The Missionary Study group of the WSCS of Memorial Methodist church will meet Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Wesley Ward. Mrs. Henry Cassidy, secretary of Missionary Education, is to serve as chairman. Devotions, "God's Light" will be directed by Mrs. Hanford White, there will be group hymn singing and a study on "The Bible and Human Rights" will be handled by Mrs. James Mitchell. All interested in the study of Missions are invited.

Worship—The WSCS of the Memorial Methodist church is meeting at 2:30 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon in the church parlors. The committee is composed of the Mmes. Archie Cowen, Fred Cowen, Bert Nisonen and E. A. Christie. The program will consist of several numbers by a trio composed of Mrs. Glenn Kjellberg, Mrs. Wallace Cameron and Mrs. Leonard Olson. Mrs. Nye Quistorff is to have charge of the devotions.

Evening Service—The regular weekly prayer and study hour of the Reorganized church of Latter Day Saints will be held at 7:30 o'clock on Wednesday evening at the John Rasmussen home, 635 North 9th street.

Worship—A worship service is to be held Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in the Gust Erickson home in the Buckeye addition for members of the First Lutheran congregation.

Ladies' Chorus—The Ladies' Chorus of the Mission Covenant church meets Wednesday night at 7:30 o'clock for rehearsals.

Women's Choir—The women's choir of the First Lutheran church is to meet for rehearsal Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Choir Practice—The choir of Memorial Methodist church will meet Wednesday night at seven o'clock at the church to practice.

Young People—A Young Peoples service is to be held in Bethel Free church this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Bible Study—Bible study and prayer is to be held in Bethel Free church Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Lutheran Church At Isabella Is Accorded Honors

A bowling team representing the Coleman Canning company came to Gladstone for an intercity match Sunday and came out victorious. It was captained by George Hanson, general manager of the Coleman Canning company.

They took some freshly caught wall-eyed eels back to Coleman on their return home.

**Roy Jensen Tells
Of Lamprey Menace**

Rapid River Lions were told of the menace which lamprey eels form to both commercial and sport fishing by Roy Jensen, Escanaba, former state representative and head of the Jensen and Jensen Food market, at a regular meeting last week.

Use of weirs to trap and remove the eels are being experimented with as a means of coping with the menace, he said.

Today the average American eats about 1 1/5 pounds of nut meats a year, compared with 4/5 of a pound in 1909, the Bureau of Agricultural Economics reports.

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**CHARLES FOLLO
ROTE SPEAKER**

Tells Of Community Self Help Confab Feb. 1

A family reunion was held recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry VanDeWeghe, 716 Minnesota avenue, and it marked the first time in 34 years that two of the group had seen each other.

Visiting here were Mr. and Mrs. Shad Wismer of Saskatchewan, Canada; Mrs. T. G. Wressell of St. Paul, Minn.; Mr. and Mrs. Isaiah Wismer of Sandusky, Mich., and Mrs. Wm. Rainsin of Detroit and Mrs. Flansburg of Sandusky.

Shad and Isaiah are brothers and Mrs. Wressell a sister of Mrs. VanDeWeghe while Mrs. Rainsin and Mrs. Flansburg are nieces of Mrs. VanDeWeghe.

It was the first meeting of the two brothers in 34 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Shad Wismer will leave this evening for their home. The others departed in the latter part of last week for their respective residences.

**Apart For 34 Years
Brothers Meet Again**

The speaker made this comment in a talk on the area conference on organization for community self help which is to be held in Gladstone on Tuesday, Feb. 1, at the high school.

Leaders from Delta, Menominee, Schoolcraft and Marquette counties will gather here at that time.

Dr. Howard Y. McClusky, director of the Bureau of Studies and Training in Community Adult Education, University of Michigan, will be here and will speak at the opening session and give the closing summary.

Three discussion sessions will be held in the afternoon and three in the evening. Both afternoon and evening the sessions will be conducted simultaneously.

Subjects for the afternoon are Money Raising for Community Projects, Problems of Old Age and Rural-Urban Relations.

In the evening the subjects are How to Coordinate Community Effort, Youth Problems (Youth in Community Life) and Community Organization for Health.

Mr. Follo also told of the inception and development of the University Extension service.

**Sportsmen to Meet
Here This Evening**

Motion pictures entitled "Grayling of the Yukon" will be shown at a meeting of the Minnewasca Sportsmen's club this evening at 7:30 o'clock in the city hall.

This film should prove attractive to all sportsmen who enjoy fishing.

Plans for the rabbit dinner being planned by the club are to be discussed at this meeting.

**Three Troopers
On Lansing Trip**

Troopers Robert Leonard, Arne Maki and George Strong of the Gladstone Post, Michigan State Police are in Lansing today for screening tests at the MSP headquarters.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere and heartfelt gratitude for all of the many kindnesses, courtesies, and comforting expressions of sympathy shown us during our bereavement.

Signed:
Mrs. Henry Ross,
Mr. and Mrs. Russell Ross
and family
Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ross
and family
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Thorbeck
and family

Obituary

HENRY ROSS

Funeral services for Henry Ross, aged Rapid River resident, were conducted Saturday afternoon at the Congregational church in Rapid River, the Rev. Serge Hummon officiating.

Music during the service was provided by Mrs. James Jay, organist.

Pallbearers were Louie Thibeault, Lowell Thibeault, Ole Norman, Charles Kirk, Robert McPherson and Orville Groleau. Burial was in the Rapid River cemetery.

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You Better Watch Out! Green Bay Packers Are Coming To Town Tomorrow Night

The Green Bay Packer basketball team will play the Escanaba Delta Hardwares at the William Bonifas gym at 9 o'clock tomorrow evening. The preliminary at 7:30 will bring together Clove Island College and Wait Window, Escanaba city league rivals of long standing.

Ted Fritsch and Tony Canadeo head the Packer list of reconverted football stars, followed by Earl

(Jug) Girard, Nolan Luhn, Ken Keuper, and Andy Uram. Fritsch stands 5-10 and weighs 210 pounds in his cage togs. He left the National Football League in scoring in 1946 with an even 100 points and was chosen all-pro fullback in '44, '45, and '46. Last season Ted was most effective as a kicking specialist, booting the pigskin on kickoffs, kicking field goals the really connected on

some long ones), and scoring points after Packer touchdowns (he wasn't overworked in this department, however.)

Tony Canadeo, affectionately known as the "Gray Ghost of Gonzaga", is 5-11 in height and weighs 190. Tony is a top runner, good passer, and fair kicker—a valuable all-around man who was up among the leading ground-gainers in the National pro league

last year. Canadeo achieved little All-American fame in 1940. Probably the most accomplished basketball player on the Packer five is their 6 foot 3 inch pivot man, Nolan "Slim" Luhn. Luhn plays right end on the Green Bay football team, having his best year in 1946 when he tied Clyde Goodnight as the Packers' leading pass receiver with 16 receptions. He was a

member of the 1944 Tulsa University Sugar Bowl team and the Tulsa Orange Bowl team in 1945. Luhn won four letters in basketball at Tulsa and is one of the best rebound men to come out of Southwest.

Ken "Red" Keuper is a product of the University of Georgia, where he won three letters in football, track and basketball. He is 6 feet in height and weighs 210

pounds. Keuper is a native of Waukesha, Wis., but went to school "down South." Ken played in the Orange Bowl in 1942 and was a member of Georgia's Rose Bowl team in 1943. He participated in the 1944 North-South game and played in the Chicago All-Star contest the same year.

The remainder of the club consists of Andy Uram and Earl

"Jug" Girard who played at the

Universities of Minnesota and Wisconsin, respectively, and who need no further introduction to local sport fans familiar with Big Nine football stars.

Girard is a product of the Marquette high school which has always given plenty of trouble to local teams both in football and basketball. The "Jugger" was a distinct threat to Escanaba high school teams in the past and now

is proving troublesome to the local Delta Hardware five. Needless to say, he will be a marked man in the clash here tomorrow—particularly after the Hardwares' two engagements with the Peshtigo Rockets.

All in all, the game shapes up

as a real treat for the sports-minded of this area and fans are reminded to come early—to see a top-notch preliminary and to get a good seat.

Ivan Williamson Is Stuhldreher's Successor At U-W

Madison, Wis., Jan. 25 (AP)—Ivan "Red" Williamson, star end for Michigan in 1932, is returning to Western Conference football warfare—this time as Wisconsin's new \$10,000 per year head coach.

His title will be "professor" Williamson when he arrives Feb. 1 to take over the post held by Harry Stuhldreher for 13 years. Stuhldreher quit as grid coach last Dec. 11, but he remains as Wisconsin's athletic director.

The job of head football coach at Wisconsin carries a full professorship which Stuhldreher means that the coach can be fired only by the board of regents, and even then only after public hearings.

Williamson's selection, announced at a special regents meeting in Milwaukee yesterday, came as somewhat of a surprise to the Eastern coach. He was among more than a half dozen outstanding coaches who had been considered for the post.

"Naturally I knew I was under consideration," Williamson said at Easton, Pa., last night, "but the appointment sure came as a delightful surprise."

Williamson added he doesn't expect any trouble getting a release from his three-year Lafayette contract, which still has a year to run. This was confirmed by Lafayette President Ralph C. Hutchison, who added he is "sorry to see Williamson go."

Dr. Hutchison, interviewed while visiting in Denver, said the school would not prevent Williamson from breaking his contract. "We did not release him from his remaining year of his contract," Dr. Hutchison told a reporter. "However, we will not prevent him from terminating the contract himself."

Williamson, who is 38, would

Basketball Standings

GREAT LAKES CONFERENCE (High School)			
W.	L.	Pct.	
Negaunee	5	0	1.000
Gladstone	3	0	1.000
Marquette	4	1	.800
Sault Ste. Marie	3	2	.600
Manistique	2	5	.500
Ishpeming	1	4	.200
Newberry	1	5	.167
Munising	1	6	.143

SCORES LAST WEEK

Gladstone 45, Munising 34. Negaunee 39, Marquette 37. Manistique 34, 35. Sault Ste. Marie 50, Ishpeming 36.

GAMES THIS WEEK

Friday—Gladstone at Ishpeming. Manistique at Negaunee. Saturday—Sault Ste. Marie at Negaunee.

NWM LEAGUE (Independent)

W.	L.
Hermansville	9
Ishpeming	7
Iron River	7
Quinnesec	6
Iron Mountain	5
Ishpeming	5
Escanaba	4
Norway	0
Crystal Falls	7

(Escanaba VFW's next game is Iron Mountain here next Sunday.)

Meeting of league directors in Norway city hall at 3, Escanaba time, Sunday, Jan. 30, to act on Iron River-Ishpeming protest and other business—A. L. Menghini, Norway, Mich., league secretary.

CENTRAL U. P. D-E (High School)

W.	L.	Pct.
Cooks	8	.889
Rapid River	9	.818
Nahma	7	.700
Hermansville	3	.600
B. R. Harris	3	.428
Trenary	2	.333
Rock	2	.286
Powers	2	.250
Perkins	2	.182
Daggett	0	.000

GAMES THIS WEEK

Tonight—B. R. Harris at Hermansville, Rock at Perkins.

Thursday—Rapid River at Perkins.

Friday—Rock at Trenary, Powers at Cooks, "Grand Marais" at Nahma. *Non-league game.



ESCANABA DAILY PRESS SPORTS

"It Seems To Me"

BY JIM WARD

Cuff notes: Jumping for the Gladstone Ski club, Walter Alexander, Ken Warner, John Grodesky and Mel Brown, former Escanaba Ski club riders, placed fifth, seventh, eighth and ninth among a large field of Class B riders in the big Caspian meet Sunday afternoon.

Contrary to some reports, the Gladstone Braves are eligible for the Great Lakes conference basketball championship this season . . . They play only six league games this season, but according to Bruce K. Nelson, Negaunee, league commissioner, that is enough . . . Teams have until the 1950-51 to bring the number of conference basketball games up to eight . . . "Gladstone is a full fledged member and is eligible for the championship," Nelson writes . . . And the Braves are doing all right thus far . . . They're undefeated in loop play.

The Escanaba Eskimos aren't burning up the courts this season, but they're coming along a lot better than most fans think . . . They looked good against Menominee, Ishpeming and Iron Mountain and lost close ones . . . If they could develop poise and punch to survive opponents' last-minute scoring drives, and if they come out strong after the halftime intermission when recent opponents have piled up winning points, they would do all right the rest of the season and could become a dangerous tournament team.

Iron Mountain tipped the Eskimos, 42-33, last Friday night, but it was largely a third period 13-5 Mountaineer edge that did it . . . The rest of the game, the Eskies played the Mountaineers on a par—even outscoring them 9-8 in the last period . . . It was 13-13 at the quarter and Iron Mountain had only a 21-19 half-time edge . . . That third-period made the difference.

Get behind your Eskimos in this home game with Soo here Friday night . . . It constitutes a tough test . . . Soo beat Ishpeming, 50-36, in the Soo last Saturday night . . . Earlier in the week, Ishpeming beat Escanaba in Ishpeming, 28-26.

Al Kircher, formerly of Gladstone, who will take over as head basketball coach at MSC next season, recalls that when he scored seven points in one game during his playing days back in the 1920's, he was a campus hero . . . He was high scorer for the night and practically won the game singlehanded . . . Basketball sure has changed, he opines . . . A team that scores 30 points in those days had an exceptionally hot night . . . Thirty points is (or are) peanuts these days.

They say Citation was the only sports celebrity missing at a recent sports award dinner . . . The toastmaster quipped that the Calumet Farm's wonder horse would have made it but he was recuperating in Florida from a leg injury.

This Petter Hugsted, Norway's Olympic champion, who is winning top honors in Midwest U. S. meets, is really class . . . Skijumping fans in this area likely will see him perform in Iron Mountain this season . . . When John Grodesky returned from Chicago he said Hugsted's form was as near perfection as a skijumper could possibly get.

You Can't Call Sam 'Canvasback Cohen'

Hollywood, Jan. 25 (AP)—Former boxer Samuel S. Cohen contends that a reference to him as "Canvasback Cohen" by Groucho Marx in a Jan. 12 radio show was an invasion of his right of privacy and worth \$100,000 in damages.

His superior court suit against Marx and American Broadcasting Co., admits he was known as "Canvasback" Cohen before he abandoned the ring 10 years ago but alleges that he wanted to forget about his "sad career" and the broadcast made him physically and mentally ill.

Both institutions are state-supported.

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Powers Laboratory Marks Anniversary

The Michigan department of health branch laboratory at Powers, serving the health interests of the Upper Peninsula, yesterday observed the 10th year of its establishment at an open house. The laboratory is located in Pinecrest sanatorium.

Dr. Grace Elderling, assistant director of the Western Michigan laboratory at Grand Rapids, and Miss Elizabeth Conroy, bacteriologist at the Grand Rapids laboratory, were among the guests at the anniversary event. Dr. William C. Harrison of Escanaba and the staff of the Delta-Menominee health district attended the open house last evening. Others were Carl Carr, Dickinson health department sanitarian of Iron Mountain; and Dr. John W. Towey, Pinecrest superintendent.

Visitors were welcomed during the day, and last evening refreshments were served to guests by the laboratory staff.

Guardsmen Required To Report In Full Uniform For Drill

Members of Company C, 107th Engineer battalion, Michigan National Guard, are required to report for drill in full uniform in order to get credit for drill attendance toward their regular Army pay, company officers pointed out today.

Guardsmen are paid from \$2.50 to \$5.50 for each two-hour drill period, depending upon their rating. The unit drills from 7:30 to 9:30 each Wednesday night.

Men interested in joining may obtain information from either Staff Sergeant LeRoy Erickson or Staff Sergeant Vernon Rousseau at the Escanaba armory (fairgrounds exhibition building) any day Monday through Friday. Office hours are 8 a.m. to noon and 1 to 5 p.m.

All members are reminded to be in full uniform tomorrow evening. Full O. D. uniforms will be worn, including overseas cap, blouse and combat boots.

Officers Reelected By Insurance Agents

At the annual meeting today of the Escanaba Insurance Agents Association the following officers were re-elected: A. J. Goulaus, president; James Davidson, vice president; William Perron, secretary and treasurer.

These officers together with Jim Hall, John Bach and Warner Olson were elected to the executive board. O. V. Thatcher, B. W. Hall, Clem Tordue and R. C. Pryal were re-elected to the board of directors.

John P. Olds, Jr., of Saul St. Marie, chairman of the Upper Peninsula of Michigan executive board of the Insurance Agents Association has notified A. J. Goulaus, board secretary, that a meeting of that body will be held in Escanaba Feb. 19.

43 BELOW ZERO

Denver, Jan. 25 (P)—Montana and Wyoming both claimed today the coldest spots in the United States.

It was a standoff between Bozeman, Mont., and Big Piney, Wyo., at 43 degrees below zero.

KILLED BY TWO CARS

Detroit (P)—Mrs. Bessie Graham, 43, was killed Monday when two automobiles struck her. One car knocked her into the path of the other.

KNIFER GETS YEAR

Pontiac (P)—A year in jail for manslaughter was given George Razos, 59, for the knife slaying of Cyril T. Stephens.

Handicaps

Three forces begin slowing a rolling ball down before it reaches the infielder in a baseball game: ground friction, air resistance, and gravity.

CHICAGO PRICES

CHICAGO BUTTER
Chicago, Jan. 25 (P)—Butter, weak, receipts \$378,482, average 1 lb. one cent a pound lower; 93 score AA, 92 A, and 90 B, all 61; 89 C, 59.5; cars; 90 B, 61, 89 C, 60.

CHICAGO EGGS
Chicago, Jan. 25 (P)—Eggs, firm, receipts \$587; prices unchanged to 1/2 cent a dozen higher; U. S. extras, 70¢ per dozen; up A, 45.5 to \$4.15; Idaho russet; Burbs, \$4 to \$4.70; Minnesota, North Dakota, Red River Valley, bliss triumph, 50¢ to \$3.55; Pontiac, \$3.65; New stocks; Florida, 50 lb. sacks bliss triumphs, \$4.00.

CHICAGO POTATOES
Chicago, Jan. 25 (P)—(USA)—Potatoes, arrivals 62, on track, total 1,000,000 bushels; market demand good; market firm; Colorado red McClures, \$4.05 to \$4.15; Idaho russet; Burbs, \$4 to \$4.70; Minnesota, North Dakota, Red River Valley, bliss triumph, 50¢ to \$3.55; Pontiac, \$3.65; New stocks; Florida, 50 lb. sacks bliss triumphs, \$4.00.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK
Chicago, Jan. 25 (P)—(USA)—Salable hogs 15,000; weak to 25 cents, mostly 25 cents lower on all hogs; top \$21.50; most good and choice 180 to 220 lbs. \$20.75 to \$21.50; 220 to 250 lbs. \$19.75; 250 to 300 lbs. \$19.00 to \$19.75; 290 to 320 lbs. \$18.25 to \$19.00; 320 to 360 lbs. \$18.00 to \$18.50; good and choice 320 to 425 lbs. \$16.50 to \$17.25; most 425 lbs and over \$16.50 to \$16.75; good clearance.

The "light pipe," Westinghouse said, is so flexible it can be tied in a knot.

No matter how the rod is bent, Westinghouse said, a light beam directed at one end comes shining out of the other brighter than ever.

Dr. Richard C. Hitchcock, Westinghouse research engineer, said the "light pipe" is even better than plain air for transmitting light in some cases.

An ordinary flashlight beam travelling any distance through air will diverge, or "spread," he said. "Piped the same distance through a fosterite rod, it will reach its target with four or five times the intensity of the flashlight beam."

The "light pipe" was designed by Dr. Hitchcock from a plastic developed by another Westinghouse scientist, Newton Foster, for use in insulating radar units.

Car Makers Lay Out 400 Million For 1949 Models

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Detroit, (P)—The car industry has made the heaviest investment in its history to change over to 1949 model production.

The switch over is all but complete and the bill comes to something above \$400,000,000. A sizeable part of it comes out of the industry's postwar profits to date; some of it must come from profits expected this year.

Included in the figures is the approximately \$100,000,000 Ford spent last spring and summer to change the design and engineering of its several models. Also included are large investments by Chrysler, all the General Motors divisions, Nash and Studebaker.

Chrysler has disclosed its change-over cost in excess of \$90,000,000. Chevrolet's new model planning and tooling are understood to have cost more than \$50,000,000.

What the other GM divisions spent has not been disclosed, but the new engine plant built by Oldsmobile alone cost about \$10,-

Brakeman Steps Out Of Caboose, 85 Feet In Nightmare Fall

Pittsburgh, Jan. 25 (P)—Remember that nightmare of falling through space?

Harry Crawford, 35, a Pittsburgh and West Virginia railroad brakeman, experienced the real version. He stepped out from a railroad caboose in the dark and plunged 85 feet through a new vehicle did in 1910.

It puts the retail price of an average car at that time at \$1,584. Today the average retail price of a new car, it says, is \$1,714, including an \$85 federal excise tax that didn't apply to the 1910 vehicles.

And for the \$45 difference, the association says, today's motorist gets an all-steel body, self-starter, four-wheel brakes, balloon tires, safety glass and a lot of other things unknown in 1910.

All that may sound comforting to today's motorist. In case it does, here's something to put things back into more modern perspective:

Ten years ago a typical low-priced car had a factory retail price of \$800. Late in 1948 the same vehicle sold at the factory for \$1,512. And more price increases are coming.

Planes Carry Hay To Starving Sheep In Utah Snowdrifts

Salt Lake City, Jan. 25 (P)—The Utah haylift began operations yesterday to bring food to isolated and starving bands of sheep.

Two C-47 transports of the Utah National Guard made the first flights, dropping hay and food concentrates on an area approximately 35 miles west of Delta, Utah. The planes completed the flight from the Salt Lake City Municipal airport in about two and one-half hours. Each craft has space for about two and one-half tons of hay.

The earliest copy of the paper in existence is owned by A. M. Istan, an Antwerp collector. This copy is dated 1621; and contains maps, plans and music manuscripts. The main article concerned the siege of the town of Ecluse in Flanders which was going on at the time. Accompanying the reportage is a wood-cut in great detail showing troop emplacements.

Ground crews yesterday cleared snow-clogged roads leading into three isolated Utah communities. Reached were Garrison, two miles from the Nevada line in Millard county and Trout Creek and Callac, in western Juab county. The communities had been isolated since about Jan. 1.

The state continued to dig out from a record breaking weekend snow storm.

Louis' Proposition Is Too Exorbitant

Chicago, Jan. 25 (P)—An offer by Joe Louis to defend his heavyweight boxing crown for a \$400,000 guarantee in Chicago's Soldier field next June has stirred up a measure of political and contractual confusion.

Joseph T. Plunkett, special services chairman of the Cook County Central Democratic committee, said his group was planning to land the fight in Chicago but had rejected Louis' offer as too exorbitant.

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DETROIT LION REPORT
Detroit, Jan. 25 (P)—Stockholders of the Detroit Football Co. will get an official report tonight on first year operations of their property—the Detroit Lions. Much of the interest presumably will center around Bo McMillan's efforts to rebuild the tail-end National League club for the 1949 season.

BETH HAS MEASLES
London, Jan. 25 (P)—Princess Elizabeth has the measles.

The 22-year-old heiress is at Sandringham, the royal country estate in Norfolk, with her infant son, Prince Charles, and other members of the royal family.

Fear Starts Big Nanking Exodus; Peace Talk Near

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accept them—and they mean virtually total surrender.

The radio response to the government's offer to send a delegation to talk peace stirred hopes that negotiations could be started soon enough to save Nanking from bombardment.

The capital was being feverishly evacuated by many government officials and citizens.

The exodus was general.

Stricken thousands clogged streets demanding tickets and space to the south. Trains were jammed. Even foot movement around the rail stations was next to impossible.

One official source said the government would leave "very soon." Various officials said their orders were to get out "by tomorrow at the very latest."

The main Communist body had not reached the opposite bank of the mile-wide river. But Communist shells could come screaming into the capital at any moment.

Government offices, in many cases, were deserted except for the poor coolies.

Chiang On Sidelines

General peace talk here, at least, was dead publicly. Everybody seemed bent on saving his skin and valuables.

The trek south resembled, on a much larger scale, the Communist flight to the northwest 14 years ago when Chiang Kai-shek drove them out.

To the confusion and traffic snarl was added leavy troop movements.

Chiang's personal troops were heading for his side down in Chekiang province.

Acting President Li Tsung-Jen called to the Nanking area 50,000 of his troops from the west.

Chiang, sitting beside the tombs of his ancestors in Chikion, was still president, his chief spokesman said. His retirement, the spokesman pointed out, made Li only the acting president because Chiang was not here.

That added to the confusion. Many thought now that Nationalist China, so hopeful of peace a few days ago, might be heading back to its old feudal days with war lords bickering and fighting for power and taxes.

INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE

(Final Standings, First Half)

W L Pet.

O K Auto 26 16 .619

Furbols 26 16 .619

Independents 26 16 .619

Maytag Sales 26 16 .619

L & L 26 16 .619

Roper Mill 26 16 .619

2 Chicken Sack 26 16 .619

Wadham's 26 16 .619

High team game—Maytag Sales, 790; High team match—Maytag Sales, 2151; High individual game—J. W. Mohr, 2151; High individual match—Fern Stacey, 519.

Ten high averages—Fern Stacey 173; Jean Moberg 161; Helen Lewis 159; Lucy Villa 154; Sam Saylor 153; Shirley Baker 149; Fran McPherson 141; Cecile Meiers 141; Ruth Needham 141.

ILLINOIS INELIGIBLE

Champaign, Ill., Jan. 25 (P)—Title contender Illinois will be forced to play the last half of its Big Nine basketball schedule of six games without the services of Burdette Thurby, Thurby, a regular guard and an outstanding rebounder, has been ruled scholastically ineligible for failing a history course. The 6 foot 2 inch junior from Kirkland, Ill., will be unable to participate in sports the second semester starting Feb. 7.

ESCANABA PAPER MILL LEAGUE

(Final Standings, First Half)

W L Pet.

Wreckers 6 0 .000

Electricians 1 1 .633

Laboratory 4 2 .667

Yard 4 2 .667

Hyde Strikers 25 17 .592

N.W. 17 10 .588

Harnischfeger 16 26 .381

Flat Rock 12 30 .286

Foresters 12 30 .286

High team match—NutWay, 2986; High team game—NutWay, 819; High individual match—Joseph Richman 524; High individual game—Roger McCarthy 141; Evelyn Roth 141.

ELKS' CLUB—MONDAY 7 P. M.

King Pins 7 7 .778

Ten Pins 5 4 .556

Ramblers 3 6 .333

Pin Girls 3 6 .333

High team game—Ramblers, 707; High team match—Ramblers, 1987; High individual match—Gladys Magnus, 169; High individual match—Margaret Beauchamp, 428.

Ten high averages—Bill Kraiger 179; Bob Smithwick 172; Vernon Wicklander 172; Johnny Andrews 172; Lloyd Baker 171; Orla McCormick 171; Joe Vachon 168; Tony Hemil 163; Ted Muskosky 161; Bill Ettenhofer 161.

ROCK RIDGEWAY LEAGUE

(Final Standings, First Half)